IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Attorney Docket No. 2006 0106A

Makoto NOAMI et al. : Confirmation No. 7704

Serial No. 10/567,739 : Group Art Unit 1767

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The following is responsive to the final Office Action of August 13, 2010 and the Advisory Action of March 3, 2011.

A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and Petition for a two month Extension of Time are submitted herewith.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: